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VIA EMAIL

June 13, 2013

Ken Bensinger
Los Angeles Times
Email: Kenneth.Bensinger@latimes.com

Re: Public Records Request - PRR # 13-1144

Dear Mr. Bensinger:

We have reviewed your California Public Records Act request, dated May 21, 2013, in which you requested records re coach Steve Alford, including contracts and any related financial documents, and any records/correspondence relating in part or in whole to Alford's contract buy-out dispute with his former employer, the University of New Mexico. Below is a list of the specific items you requested, along with the University's response.

- A complete copy of **new men's basketball coach Steve Alford's** contract, including any riders, amendments, terms of employment, incentives, perquisites, buyout terms, severance terms or any other clauses or provisions of any nature related to his employment or performance in the coaching position.
Response: The contract for Mr. Alford has not been executed yet, and therefore is not yet disclosable. You are certainly welcome to submit a future request to receive his contract with UCLA after it has been executed.
- Copies of any financial documents between the university and **Alford**, such as mortgages, personal loans, grants, auto leases, aircraft usage agreements or club memberships.
Response: The search for records has been completed and no responsive records were found to exist.
- Copies of any paperwork, emails, meeting minutes or memoranda relating in part or in whole to **Alford's** contract buy-out dispute with his former employer, the University of New Mexico.
Response: The search for records has now been completed and no non-privileged records were found to exist. The existing records are exempt from disclosure under California Government Code section 6254(k), based on attorney-client privilege.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (310) 794-8741 or via email at rbaldrige@ucla.edu and reference the PRR number found above in the subject line.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Baldrige".

Robert Baldrige
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